

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph beginning on page 14, line 6, and continuing on page 15, with the following amended paragraph:

On the other hand, the external link 4 has a main body part 41 the contour of which is almost the same as the aforesaid internal link 3, and has coupler pin holes 43, 43 the dimension of which is the same as the pitch of the bushing holes 34, 34 of the internal link 3, and an outside surface 42 of the external link 4 is made flat. The external link 4 is so shaped as to have a boss part 44 shaped like a frustum, whereby a circumferential area of the coupler pin hole's 43 formation part gently slopes upward. Additionally, in the inside surface 45 of the external link 4, the circumference of the coupler pin hole 43 is formed into a concave surface (i.e., a concavely curved surface 45a forming a concavity) corresponding to the shape of the boss part 36 of the outside surface 33 of the internal link 3. Additionally, as in the internal link 3, a projecting part 47a, for securing a tread 47 at link assembly time, is projectingly provided in an upper half part situated midway between the coupler pin holes 43, 43 so that it projects a required dimension from the inside surface 45. Furthermore, a pillar 48 is vertically provided under the projecting part 47a in the middle of the main body part 41. Through holes 48a, 48a are provided on each side of the pillar 48, passing completely through from one side to the other in the external link 4. A bolt insertion hole 48b is penetratingly provided at predetermined pitches so that it extends from a lower side of each through hole 48a in a direction orthogonal to a lower end surface (i.e., a track shoe mount surface 49).